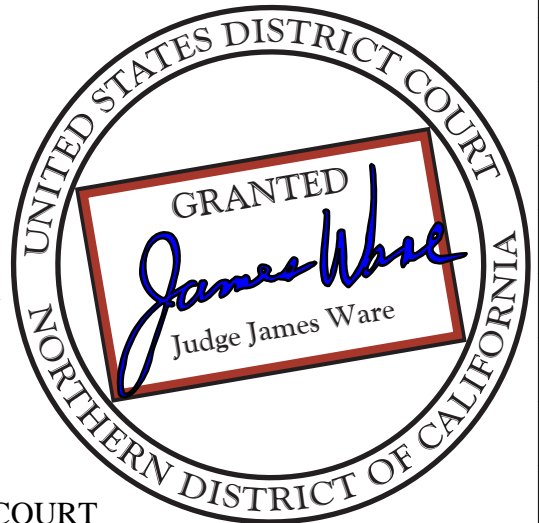


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Defendant.

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**STIPULATION EXTENDING
DEFENDANT'S TIME TO RESPOND
TO COMPLAINT**

The parties to this action hereby stipulate and agree that Defendant DVS Shoe Co., Inc. shall have until November 6, 2006, to answer or otherwise respond to the complaint in this action. This is the first such request for an extension and is made to allow the parties to explore the possibility of settling this dispute without the need for further litigation.

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